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BEARS RUN TO COVER

Wall Street Believes the Senate Is Coming to a Vote.

Buyers Who Have Been Holding Off Load Up with Stocks-Indianapolis Grain More Active.

At New York yesterday money on call was easy at 11/2@2 per cent., the last loan being made at 11/2, closing offered at 11/2. Prime mercantile paper was 566 per cent.

Sterling exchange was firmer with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.83% @4.84 for demand, and \$4.81% @4.82 for sixty day bills; posted rates, \$4.83@4.85; commercial bills,

4.801/2@4.81.

Silver certificates were 73@731/2. Bar silver closed at 72%c per ounce; Mexican dollars at 581/2c. At London bar silver closed at 33%d. The total sales of stocks on the New York exchange yesterday were 197,200 shares. Wall street seems to be more convinced than ever that the Sherman bill repeal measure will reach a vote without much delay. It was a returning of confidence in the power of the sound money senators, backed by the administration, to carry the day, that gave the tone of strength to the dealing yesterday, bringing the bears to cover and inducing purchases for the long account and establishing a material appreciation in values. The Washington advices were watched very closely on the exchange and were construed as surely indicating that the deadlock was about to be brought to an end and unconditionally. Under these cheerful influences a healthier tone was imparted to the speculation than it has experienced in several weeks. The buying was not confined to any one or two sets of stocks, but was well distributed throughout the list. In the late dealings somewhat, but the tone at the close was firmer, compared with the final sales of Thursday, the closing figures showing an advance in the general list ranging from 14 to 31/2 per cent Government bonds were dull and state bonds inactive. Closing quotations were:

United States Fours, reg......111 United States Fours, coup......111 Pacific sixes of '95......102 Atchison 1...... 19 Adams Express......141 American Express......110 
 Fort
 Wayne.
 146

 Lake
 Erie & Western.
 151/4

 Lake
 Erie & Western, pref.
 67
 Shore......1221/ Louisville & New Albany..... 15 Missouri Pacific...... 23 New Jersey Central......1091/2 Northwestern 1011/2 Northwestern pref 138 Rock Island......63 United States Express..... 52 Wells-Fargo Express......125 The following table, compiled by Bradstreet's, shows the clearing-house returns for the week ending Oct. 19, and the percentage of increase or decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year in several principal cities:

New York......\$502,997,312 Decrease...37.9 Chicago 91,873,892 Boston 78,083,430 Philadelphia 58,712,500 Decrease..19.8 Decrease..29.0 Decrease .. 33.3 St. Louis..... 21,242,005 Decrease...16.0 12,475,696 Baltimore ..... Decrease..29.0 Pittsburg ..... 11,610,283 Decrease...27.0 Cincinnati ..... 11,477,750 becrease ... 33.4 lansas City..... 8,859,852 Decrease .. 22.0 Louisville ..... 6,024,211 Decrease..31.0 Detroit ..... 5,456,352 4,940,087 Decrease..31.0 Decrease..37.0 Milwaukee ..... Cleveland ...... 4,544,814 Decrease. .29.0 Indianapolis ...... 3,917,662 Decrease., 4.0 The total amount of clearings in the United States was \$934.564,636, being a decrease of 32 per cent. Total exclusive of New York was \$431,569,324, a decrease of

LOGAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE. Little New to Note in the Business

Situation-Prices Steadier.

There was a moderate volume of trade n progress yesterday on the wholesale streets, with prices, as a rule, steady. Coffees and sugars carry a strong tone, but no advances have been made in either staple for some days. On commission row trade has improved somewhat the last day or two. Very fine apples and choice White Star potatoes are being shipped in here from Vermont, and some fair apples from New York. The potatoes are selling at \$2.25 readily, and the apples at \$4.25@4.50 per barrel. Prairie chickens and quail are on the market. Prairie chickens will bring 2 per dozen, and quails \$4 per dozen, but the latter price will not likely long preas shipments will soon increase. Poultry, eggs and butter are weak at quotations. The flour market presents no new features, prices ruling as for sixty days

The local grain market showed more life yesterday, and more interest was taken in the bidding, corn and oats seemingly being in good request. The following track bids were made:

Wheat—No. 2 red, 57½c; No. 3 red, 54½c.

Corn—No. 1 white, 38¾c; No. 2 white,

88¾c; No. 3 white, 38½c; No. 4 white, 30@35c;

No. 2 white, mixed, 38½c; No. 3 white

mixed, 38c; No. 4 white mixed, 30@35c; No. 2

yellow, 38c; No. 3 yellow, 371/2c; No. 4 yellow, 30@35c; No. 2 mixed, 371/2c; No. 3 mixed, 37½c; No. 4 mixed, 30@35c; ear corn, 41½@42½c, the latter for yellow.
Oats—No. 2 white, 30c; No. 3 white, 29c; No. 2 mixed, 28c; No. 3 mixed, 25½c; rejected, 23@25c. Hay-Choice timothy, \$13; No. 1, \$12.25; 29c; No. 2 mixed, 281/2c; No. 3 mixed, 251/2c. Hay-Choice timothy, \$12.75; No. 1, \$11.75; Bran,\$12.

Poultry and Other Produce.

(Prices Paid by Dealers.) Poultry-Hens, 6c per 1b; young chickens, 6c per lb; turkeys, toms, 6c per lb; hens, 8c per lb; fancy large young turkeys, 8c; small and poor, 5c; ducks, 6c per lb; geese, \$4.20 per doz. for choice. Eggs-Shippers paying 17c. Butter- Grass butter, choice, 15@18c;

Honey-New, 15@18c. Feathers-Prime geese, 40c per 1b; mixed duck, 20c per 1b. Beeswax-20c for yellow; 15c for dark. Wool-Unwashed medium wool, 16c; unwashed coarse or braid, 13@14c; unwashed

ine merino, 10@13c; tub-washed, 18@23c; burry and cotted wool, 3c to 6c less than above prices. HIDES, TALLOW, ETC. Mdes-No. 1 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 G. S. hides, 3¾c; No. 2 G. S. hides, 2¾c; No. 1 calf hides, 5c; No. 2 calf hides, 3½c. Tallow-No. 1 tallow, 5c; No. 2 tallow, 4c. Grease-White, 41/2c; yellow, 31/2c; brown,

Bones-Dry, \$12@13 per ton. THE JOBBING TRADE.

(The quotations given below are the selling prices of whofesale dealers.)

Candies and Nuts. Candles-Stick, la per b; common mixed, 7c; G. A. R. mixed, Se; Banner mixed, 10c; cream mixed, 10½c; old-time mixed, Sc. Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 20c; English walnuts, 16c; Brezil nuts, 14; fliberts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, 7@8c; mixed nuts, luc.

Cauned Goods. Peaches — Standard, 3-pound, \$1.85@2; 2-pound seconds, \$1.40@1.50; 3-pound pie, 90@95c; California standard, \$2.25@2.50; California seconos, \$1.85@2. Miscellaneous — Blackberries, 2-pound, 85@95c; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.25; pineapple, standard, 2-pound, \$1.25@1.35; choice, \$2@2.25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, \$1@1.10; light, 70@75c; 2-pound full, \$2@2.10; light, \$1.20@ 1.36; string beans, 85@95c; Lima beans, \$1.10 @1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.10@1.20; early June, \$1.25@1.50; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cherries, \$1.20@1.25; strawberries, \$1.20@1.30; salmon (lbs), \$1.45@2.20; 3-pound tomatoes,

Coal and Coke. Anthracite coal, all sizes, \$7.50 per ton; Pittsburg and Raymond City, \$4.25 per ton; Jackson, \$4.25; block, \$3.25; Island City, \$3;

Blossburg and English cannel, \$5. All nut coals 50c below above quotations. Coke - Connellsville, \$3.5 per load; crushed, \$3.25 per load; lump, \$3 per load. Dried Fruits.

Figs-Layer, 14@15c per 1b.
Peaches-Common sun-dried, 7@8c per 1b;
common evaporated, 14@16c; California Apricots-Evaporated, 16@18c. Prunes-Turkish. 8@9c per lb; California,

Currants-51/2@6c per 1b. Raisins-Loose Muscatel, \$1.75@1.85 per box; London layer, \$1.85@2 per box; Valencia, 8@81/2c per tb; layer, 9@10c. Drugs.

Alcohol, \$2.14@2.40; asafetida, 34c; alum, 4@5c; camphor, 55@60c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloroform, 60@65c; copperas, brls, 85c@\$1; chloroform, 60@65c; copperas, brls, 85c@31; cream tartar, pure, 26@28c; indigo, 80@81c; licorice, Calab, genuine, 30@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., peroz, \$2.45; madder, 16@18c; oil, castor, pergal, \$1.25@1.30; oil, bergamot, per lb, \$3.50; opium, \$2.90; quinine, P. & W., peroz, 29@40c; balsam copabia, 60@65c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda bicarb, 44@6c; salts, Epsom, 4@5c; sulphur, flour 5@6c, saltpeter, 8@20c; turpentine, 36@16c; gifterine, 16@20c; iodide potassium, \$3@3.10; bromide potassium, 38@40c; chlorate potash, 25c; poray, um, 38@40c; chlorate notash, 25c; coray, 12@14c; cinchonidia, 12@15c; carbolic acid,

Oils-Linseed oil, 37@40c per gal; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners, 45c. Lard oils-Winter strained, in barrels, 80c per gal; in half barrels, 30c per gal extra.

Dry Goods. Bleached Sheetings—Androscoggin L, 6½c;
Berkeley, No. 60, 9c; Cabot, 7c; Capital,
6c; Cumberland, 7½c; Dwight Anchor, 8¼c;
Fruit of Loom, 8c; Farwell, 7½c; Fitchville, 6½c; Full Width, 5½c; Gilt Edge, 6c;
Gilded Age, 7c; Hill, 7½c; Hope, 7c; Linwood, 7½c; Lonsdale, 8c; Lonsdale Cambric, 10½c; Masonville, 8½c; Peabody, 6c;
Pride of the West, 11½c; Quinebaugh, 6½c;
Star of the Nation, 6c; Ten Strike, 6½c;
Pepperell, 9-4, 18c, Pepperell, 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 20½c; Androscoggin, 10-4,
22½c.

Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 6½c; Argyle, 6c; Boott C, 5c; Buck's Head, 6½c; Clifton CCC, 5½c; Constitution, 40-inch, 7½c; Carlisle, 40-inch, 7c; Dwight Star, 7½c; Great Falls E, 6c; Great Falls J, 5c; Hill Fine, 7c; Indian Head, 6½c; Lawrence LL, 4¾c; Lockwood B, 6c; A, 5½c; Princess, 5¾c; Saranac R, 6½c; Trion Sea Island, 5c; Pepperell E, 6½c; Pepperell R, 5¾c; Pepperell, 9-4, 16c; Pepperell, 10-4, 18c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 18½c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 20½c.

Prints—Allen dress styles, 5½c; Allen's staples, 5c; Allen TR, 5½c; Allen robes, 5½c; American indigo, 5c; American robes, 5½c; American shirtings, 4c; Arnold merino, 6½c; Arnold LCC, 7½c; Arnold LCB, 5½c; Arnold Gold Seal, 10c; Cocheco fancy, 5c; Cocheco madders, 4¾c; Hamilton fancy, 5½c; Manchester fancy, 5½c; Merrimac efforts to realize unsettled the market 51/2c; Manchester fancy, 51/2c; Merrimac fancy, 51/2c; Merrimac pinks and purples, Pacific fancy, 5½c; Pacific robes, 6c; Pacific mourning, 5½c; Simpson Eddystone, 5½c; Simpson Berlin solids, 5½c; Simpson's oil finish, 6c; Simpson's grays, 5½c; Simpson's mournings, 5½c. Ginghams — Amoskeag staples, 5%c;
Amoskeag Persian Dress, 6%c; Bates Warwick Dress, 6%c; Johnson BF Fancies, 8%c;
Lancaster, 5%c; Lancaster Normandies, 6%c; Carrolton, 4%c; Renfrew Dress, 7%c; Whittenton Heather, 6%c; Calcutta

Dress Styles, 5½c.

Prime Cambrics—Manville, 4¾c; S. S. & Son's, 4½c; Masonville, 4¾c; Garner, 4¾c.

Tickings—Amoskeag, ACA, 12½c; Conestoga, BF, 14½c Cordis, 140, 13½c; Cordis, FT, 131/2c; Cordis, ACE, 121/2c; Hamilton awning, 101/2c; Kimono Fancy, 17c; Lenox Fancy, 18c; Methuen AA, 12c; Oakland, AF, 7c; Portsmouth, 12½c; Susquehanna, 14½c; Shetucket SW, 7½c; Shetucket F, 8c; Swift Grain, Bags-Amoskeag, \$15.50; American, \$15.50; Franklinville, \$18; Harmony, \$15.50; Stark, \$19.50.

Groceries. Sugar—Hard sugars, 5%@61/2c; confectioners' A, 51/2@53/2c; off A, 53/2@51/2c; A, 51/2@53/2c; extra C, 51/2@51/2c; yellow C, 47/2@5c; dark yellow, 41/4@43/sc. Coffee-Good, 201/@21c; prime, 22@23c; streetly prime, 24@26c; fancy green and yellows, 26@27c; ordinary Java, 29@30c. old government Java, 32@33c; roasted 1-1: packages, 24%c Molasses and Syrups-New Orleans mo-lasses, fair to prime, 30@40c; choice, 40@ Peans-Choice hand-picked navy, \$2.10@ 2.2) per bu; medium hand-picked, \$2@2.10 limas, California, 41605c per 15. Rice—Louisiana, 3%05c; Carolina, 440 Honey-New York stock, 1-1b sections, 16 Spices-Pepper, 16@18c; allspice, 12@15c; cloves, 20@25c; cassia, 10@12c; nutmegs, 70% Salt-In car lots, 80@85c; small lots, 90@ Twine-Hemp, 12@18c per 15; wool, 8@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 15c jute, 12@15c; cot-

Shot-\$1.50@1.55 per bag for drop. Shot—\$1.50@1.55 per bag for drop.
Lead—7@714c per pressed bars.
Wooden Dishes—No. 1, per 1,000, \$2.20; No.
2, \$2.50; No. 3, \$2.80; Nc. 5, \$3.50.
Flour Sacks (paper)—Plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$3.50; 1-16 brl, \$5; ¼ brl, \$8; ¼ brl, \$16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$4.25; 1-16, \$6.50; ¼, \$10: ¼, \$20; No. 1, cream, plain, 1-32, per 1,000, \$7; 1-16, \$8.75; ¼, \$14.50; ¼, \$28.50. Extra charge for printing. \$28.50. Extra charge for printing Woodenware-No. 1 tubs. \$6.50@7; No. 2 tubs, \$5.50@6; No. 2 tubs, \$4@5; 3-hoop pails, \$1.70@1.75; 2-hoop pails. \$1.40@1.45; double wash-boards. \$2.25@2.75; common wash-boards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes-pins, 50@85c per

Straight grades, \$2.70@3; fancy grades, \$2.90@3.15; patent flour, \$3.50@4; low grades,

Iron and Steel. Bar fron, 1.70@1.80c; horseshoe bar, 234@ 3c; nail rod, 6c; plow slabs, 3c; American cast steel, 9c; tire steel, 2%@3c; spring

steel, 41/2@5c. Leather. Leather-Oak sole, 28@38c; hemlock sole, 22@28c; harness, 26@38c; skirting, 31@33c; single strap, 41c; black bridle, per doz, \$60 @95; fair bridle, \$60@78 per doz; city ktp, 55@75c; French kip, 85c@\$1.10; city calf-skins, 85c@\$1; French calfskins, \$1@1.80.

Nails and Horseshoes Steel cut nails, \$1.30; wire nails, \$1.60 rates; horseshoes, per keg, \$4; mule shoes,

per keg, \$5; horse nails, \$4@5. Oil Cake. Oil cake, \$24 per ton; oil meal, \$24. Produce, Fruits and Vegetables.

Apples-Maiden-blush, \$4@4.50; 20-ounce oppins, \$3.50@4; rambos, \$3.50; bulk stock, Cranberries-Cape Cod, \$5.50 per brl; \$2.25 per box. Celery-25@40c per bunch. Peaches-California, \$1@1.25 per box.

Sweet Potatoes-Baltimore, 2.50 per brl; Jersey, \$3. Cabbage-\$1.25@1.50 per brl. Onions-75c per bu or \$2 per brl. Grapes-Concords, 17c per 10-pound basket; Catawbas, 19c.

Pears-\$4.50@5 per bri. Quinces-\$4@4.50 per brl. Potatoes—\$2.25 per brl or 70@75c per bu. Lemons—Choice, \$4 per box; fancy, \$5. Bananas-\$1@1.50 per bunch, according to size and quality. Cheese-New York full cream, 121/2@181/2c; skims, 5@7c per lb. Jamaica Oranges-\$5@5.50 per brl.

Chestnuts-\$6 per bu. Provisions.

Bacon-Clear sides, 50lbs average, 121/2c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 134c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 131/2c; clear bellies, 18 to 22 lbs average, 13c; 12 to 14 lbs average, 14c; clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs average, 1234c; 12 to 20 ths average, 13c; light; 9 lb average, 1314c. Shoulders-English-cured, 12 lbs average, 10%c; 16 lbs average, 9%c. Hams-Sugar-cured, 18@20 lbs average, 11%c; 15 lbs average, 12c; 121/2 lbs average, 1214c; 10 lbs average, 1214c; block hams, California Hams-Sugar-cured, 10 to 12 lbs

Boneless Hams-Sugar cured, 91/2c. Pickled Pork-Bean pork, clear, per bri, 200 lbs, \$25; rump pork, \$19 per bri. Breakfast Bacon-Clear, English-cured. Lard-Kettle rendered, in tierces, 124c; Indiana, 11%c.

Seeds. Clover-Choice recleaned, 60-1b bu, \$4.50@ 4.75; prime, \$4.50@4.75; English, choice, \$4.50@ 4.75; Alsike, choice, \$7.50@8; Alfalfa, choice, \$5.55@6. Timothy—45-1b bu, choice, \$2@2.15; strictly prime, \$1.85@2. Blue grass—Fancy, 14-lb bu, \$1.15@1.20; extra clean, 85@90c. Orchard grass—Extra, \$1.35@1.50, Red top— Choice, 50@60c; extra clean, 38@40c. En-glish blue grass—24-lb bu, \$2.40@2.50.

Tinners' Supplies. Best brand charcoal tin IC, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$7.50; IX, 10x14, 14x20 and 12x12, \$9.50; IC, 14x20, roofing tin, \$6@6.50; IC, 20x28, \$12 @13; block tin, in pigs, 25c; in bars, 27c. Iron-27 B iron, 34c; C iron, 5c; galvanized, 70 per cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 5%@6c. Copper bottoms, 22c. Planished copper, 25c.

Solder, 15@16c. One Thing Settled.

Epringfield Republican. A famous literary controversy was settled at a Spiritualistic seance in Washington the other evening. Francis Bacon was summoned from the spirit world, and in answer to a question promptly answered: "I dld not write Shakspeare. So far as I know William did it himself." We trust that there will be no further dispute on that point.

A Distant Relative.

Tid Bits. "Let me see," said Bobbs to Dobbs, "isn't this Dobbs that we were just talking about a relative of yours?" "A distant relative." said Dobbs. "Very distant?" "I should think so. He's the oldest of twelve children, and I'm the youngest."

WHEAT DEMORALIZED

Pardridge and Ream Scalped Off Their Share of the Profits.

Other Grains Were Weak with the Leading Cereal, but Provisions Held Firm and Higher.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20 .- Disquieting rumors about the silver situation apparently demoralized holders of grain to-day. Wheat reversed the action of the day before and opened weak and 1/2c lower. Corn followed wheat, and closed weak at 1/2c decline. Oats yielded very reluctantly 1/3c of previous value. Provisions were very firm, leaving off at slightly better than yesterday's resting rates. Pardridge sold steadily during the advance and covered some on the following decline. N. B. Ream was a free seller of December at the top, and edged on the slump. Wheat at the start was strong and prices were advanced 1/2c over the closing figures of yesterday, but later eased off, prices declining 11/8c, then held steady, and the closing was about 1/2c lower for December and 1/2c lower for May than the closing figures of yesterday. The early strength was attributed to the strong English cables and fair buying on speculative account. New York was strong. foreigners buying wheat there. Shorts did some covering, but the advance brought out rather large offerings and there was fair selling by parties who had bought at

the lower figures. Corn began quite strong and prices advanced %@1/2c. Liverpool advices indicated considerable strength. This made shorts a little uneasy and their purchases to some extent created the greater portion of the advance. At the improvement there was some desire on the part of the long interest to realize, more especially by those who had purchased within the past two or three days on the belief that the receipts would materially fall off. The estimated receipts caused a weaker feeling, assisted to some extent by the easiness in wheat, and a decline followed, with the closing figures at about the lowest of the day. There was a good trade early in oats and

in sympathy with corn. Later weakness developed and the advance was lost, the market closing quiet at the inside, with a slight loss for the day. The provision market was dull after a few

minutes of activity at the start. Prices were firm all day at a shade over yesterday's closing prices. The packers bid for the different products in the dull intervals and had no difficulty in holding prices up in the absence of any to sell. At the close prices were at about 5c advance on those of the previous day. There was a fair demand for vessels and rates were firm at 24c for wheat and 2c for corn to Buffalo. Estimated receipts for tomorrow are: Wheat, 160 cars; corn, 625

cars; oats, 235 cars; hogs, 11,000 head. The

Open- High- Low- Clos-

leading futures ranged as follows:

Wheat-Oct .... 64% 72% 39 39% 39% Dec .... May .... Corn-Oct ..... 385/s 383/s 421/4 271/2 28 Nov .... Dec .... May .... Oats-Oct ..... Nov .... Dec .... 28% 31% May .... Pork-Oct .....\$14.35 \$14.2714 \$14.30 Lard—Oct 9.67½

Nov 9.22½

Jan 8.37½

Short ribs—Oct 8.90

Jan 7.35 9.67½ 9.22½ 8.35 8.37½ 8.90 8.40 8.95 7.42½ Cash quotations were as follows: Flour quiet and unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat, 6214c; No. 3 spring wheat, 59c; No. 2 red, 621/se; No. 2 corn, 381/se; No. 2 oats, 271/se; No. 2 white, 31c; No. 3 white, 281/s@291/se; No. 2 rye, 431/se; No. 2 barley nominal; No. 3, f. o. b., 40@58c; No. 4, f. o. b., 36@45c; No. 1 flaxiseed, \$1.07½; prime timothy seed, \$3.25; mess pork per brl, \$17.50@18; lard, per 1b, 9.75@9.85c; short-rib sides (loose), 9.374@ 9.50c; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), 7@7.25c; short clear sides (boxed), 9.25@9.50c; whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal. \$1.14. On the produce exchange to-day the butter market was weak;; creameries, 24@28c; dairies, 24c. Eggs firm at 20@21c.
Receipts—Flour, 8,000 brls; wheat, 115,000 bu; corn, 459,000 bu; oats, 271,000 bu; rye, 1,-000 bu; barley, 87,000 bu. Shipments-Flour,

AT NEW YORK.

15,000 brls; wheat, 84,000 bu; corn, 505,000 bu;

oats, 317,000 bu; rye, 2,000 bu; barley, 41,-

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, Oct. 20.-Flour-Receipts,

20,400 packages; exports, 36,400 brls; sales, 25,200 brls. The market was active early on spring patents, closing dull. Cornmeal was steady, rye dull, barley dull and barley malt dull. Wheat-Receipts, 335,400 bu; exports, 218,-

800 bu; sales, 3,715,000 bu futures, 85,000 bu spot. The spot market was quiet at 1/2 decline; No. 3 red, in store and elevator, 68%c; afloat, 68%c; f. o. b., 69%c; No. 3 red, 65%c; ungraded red, 63@631/2c; No. 1 Northern, 711/2/0711%c. Options opened strong at %c advance, rose %c more on active covering and the news from Washington, broke sharply on realizing, closing weak at 1/2 net decline; No. 2 red, January, 711/4 @72%c; February, 73@74%c; March, 74%@ 751/c; April, 77@781/c; October closed at 681/c; November closed at 687/sc; December, 70@711/c, closing at 701/c.

Corn-Receipts, 63,200 bu; exports, 38,700 bu; sales, 510,000 bu futures, 33,000 bu spot. Spots were 1c lower and dull; No. 2, 461/2c in elevator, 471/2c affoat. Options opened firm at 16c advance, sold up 14c more on covering, but broke %c on realizing, closing weak at %@1/2c net decline; October closed at 471/4c; November, 471/4@48c; December, 471/20481/4c, closing at 471/2c; May, 491/4

@49%c, closing at 49%c. Oats-Receipts, 88,300 bu; exports, 200 bu; sales, 335,000 bu futures and 41,000 bu spot. Spots were dull and neglected. Options firm and 1/2c higher early, closing dull at 1/4 @14c net decline. October closed at 34%c; November closed at 34%c; December, 34%@ 25%c, closing at 34%c; No. 2, 344@34%c; No. 2 white, 37@371/2c; No. 2 Chicago, 351/4c; No. 3 white, 36c; mixed Western, 35@36c; white Western, 37@41c. Hay firm; shipping, 60@65c; good to choice, 60@90c. Hops, hides and leather were steady. Cut meats dull and pressed for sale; pickled bellies weak at 10%@12%c; pickled

shoulders, 71/2/07%c; pickled hams, 10/2/101/2c. Lard firm; Western steam closed at 10.30c asked. Option sales, October, 10.25c; November, 9.85c; January, 9c and nominal. Pork was firm; sales, 300 bris; family, \$20@20.50; extra mess, \$19.75; extra prime, \$14.25@14.75.

Butter was weak; State dairy, 19@27c; State creamery, 24@28c; Western dairy, 171/2 @22c; Western creamery, 21@29c; Western factory, 17@20c; Elgin, 29c. Cheese dull; State, large, 11¼@11¾c; fancy, 11¾c; part skims, 4@9½c; full skims, 2@3½c. Eggs dull; State and Pennsylvania, 22½@23½c; icehouse, 18@20c; Western, fresh, 21½@22½c; receints, 4.742 packages, Tollow, 21½c; iceceipts, 4,742 packages. Tallow quiet; city, \$2 per package. Cotton seed oil firmer. Rosin steady. Rice firm and molasses dull. Coffee-Options opened firm at from un-

changed prices to 20 points advance on Brazil advices, assisted by some European buying and local covering on small offerings of spot coffee, lost its advance under realizing and closed steady from unchanged to 10 points advance. The total sales were 22,750 bags, including: October, 17.40c; November, 16.85@16.95c; December, 16.55@16.70c; January, 16.20@16.35c; February, 16.20c; March, 16@16.10c; April, 15.90c; May, 15.60c. Spot coffee firm; No. 7, 18½c. Sales, 500 bags Rio, No. 7 afloat at 18¼c. Sugar—Raw firm; sales, 1,000 bags; molasses sugar, 89 test, 3c; 100 tons Muscovado, 39 test, 34c; 9,000 bags Pernambuco to arrive, 88 test, 23c, and late yesterday in Boston 1,200 tons Muscovado, 89 test, 3%c. Refined steady.

TRADE IN GENERAL.

Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia,

Baltimore and Other Points. ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20.-Wheat opened strong spite of an abundance of bearish news, and with large sales sold up %c; then weakness set in and 11/ac was lost, the close being % 16c below yesterday. The early advance was through buying for export, while the decline followed news from Washington regarding the silver situation. The close was near the bottom. No. 2 red, cash, 59%c; October, 59c bid, 59%c asked; November, 59%c nominal; December, 61%@61%c bid; May, 69%c asked. Corn started strong on May, 69½c asked. Corn started strong on foreign and domestic news, but followed wheat down ¼@%c below yesterday; No. 2 mixed, cash, 37½@37%c; October, 37%c nom
at \$2@4.75. Receipts, 960; shipments, 130.

Hogs were barely steady at \$5.35@6.50.

Receipts, 3,760; shipments 1,500.

Sheep were steady at \$1.50@3.60. Receipts,

inal; November, 254c nominal; December, 24%@344c asked; year, 34%c nominal; May, 384@386c asked. Oats were firm; No. 2, cash, 274c bid; October, 274c bid; November, 276c bid; December, 284c nominal; May, 31%c asked. Rye firm; 42c bid; No. 2, cast side Banks, in and december, 284c bid; No. 2, cast side Banks, in and december, 284c bid; No. 2, cast side Banks, in and december, best

east side. Barley in good demand; best Iowa, 591/2c; Minnesota, 57c. Bran higher; 60c bid, east side. Flaxseed quiet at \$1. Clover seed, \$7.75@8.30. Hay unchanged. Butter and eggs unchanged. Cornmeal, whisky, bagging and cotton ties unchanged. Provisions steady. Pork unchanged. Lard, 9.25@9.37½c. Dry-salted meats, loose shoulders, 6.75@6.87½c; longs and ribs, 9.37½c; shorts, 9.35c. Bacon, packing shoulders, 7.75c; longs and ribs, 10.75c; shorts, 11c. Receipts—Flour, 4000, bris: wheat, 68,000 but ceipts—Flour, 4,000 brls; wheat, 68,000 bu; corn, 5,000; oats, 52,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 8,000 brls; wheat, 5,000; corn, 50,000 bu; oats, 11,000 bu; barley, 11,000 bu.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 20.-December wheat opened at 601/4c against 60c at the close last night, advanced to 61%c, but later fell and closed at 59%c; May opened at 67%c, advanced to 67%c, and later declined and closed at 66%c. Receipts, 444 cars; shipments, 53 cars. On track closed: Hard 61c; No. 1 Northern, 59c; No. 2 Northern, 571/2c. The cash market was active and sales were easily made at the ruling prices, as there was an inquiry for all classes of grain. Millers, for local use, bought freely and most of the track sales were made at about 140% above December's price at time sales were made. Flour was firmer in sympathy with wheat. The demand is fair. Some of the larger concerns report that their sales, this week, are running ahead of their production, which is about up to the average Rates are quoted at 35c per 100 pounds to Liverpool and 36c to London. Shipments, 38,310 brls; first patents, \$3.45@3.85; second patents, \$3.20@3.40; fancy and export bakers, \$1.65@2.05; low grades, in bags, including Red Dog, \$1.20@1.30. Bran and shorts sold

Red Dog, \$1.20@1.30. Bran and shorts sold well and the market was steady.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 20.—Flour steady.
Wheat stronger; No. 2 red, spot, 67¼@67½c; October, 67¼@67½c; November, 67¾@68c; December, 69¼@69½c; January, 70¾@71c. Corn stronger; No. 2 mixed, spot, 47¼@47¾c; October, 47¼@47¾c; November, 47¼@47¾c; December, 46½@47c; January, 46½@47c. Local car lots scarce and firm; No. 2 mixed, 48@48½c; No. 2 yellow, 50c. Oats stronger; spot, 33c; October, 36¾@37¾c; November, 36½@37½c; January, 37@37½c; December, 36¾@37½c; January, 37@37½c. Hay firm, for choice; low grades weak; fair to choice, \$14@16. Butter firm but quiet; Western and Pennsylvania extra, but quiet; Western and Pennsylvania extra, 28c. Eggs firm with fair demand; Pennsyl vania fresh, 23c; Western fresh, 221/4/223c. Receipts—Wheat, 88,687 bu; corn, 51,507 bu; oats, 20,792 bu; flour, 4,335 bris and 8,031 sacks. Shipments—Wheat, 7,782 bu; corn,

26,843 bu; oats, 23,042 bu. BALTIMORE, Oct. 20.—Closing markets; noon call. Wheat irregular and 1/2c higher; spot, 671/8/0671/4c; October, 671/4c; November and December, 69@694c; May, 754c. Corn prospects. Corn is nothing stronger. Pork October, 40%@40% November, 461/2c asked; year, 451/4c. Coffee The market was firm but quiet; No. 7 quoted at 18@18%c. The butter market was steady with prices nominal; fancy creamery, 29c; straight lines, 23@25c; store packed, 18@ 181/2c; creamery prints, 28@30c; rolls, 27@28c; country rolls, 19@20c. The egg market was firm; fresh gathered, 21c; Western, 20c. TOLEDO, Oct. 20.-Wheat lower and weak; No. 2, cash, 64c; December, 65½c; May, 72½c. Corn dull and steady; No. 2, cash, 41c. Oats quiet; cash, 291/2c. Rye dull; cash, 47c. Clover seed active and easier; prime, cash and October, \$5.35; December, \$5.50; January, \$5.55. Receipts-Flour, 714 bu; wheat, 48,107 bu; corn, 9,451 bu; oats, 506 bu; rye none; clover seed, 750 bags. Shipments -Flour, 4,806 brls; wheat, .23,000 bu; corn, 24,050 bu; oats none; rye none; clover seed,

CINCINNATI, Oct. 20.—Flour in moderate demand. Wheat in good demand; No. 2 red, 62c. Receipts, 1,300 bu. Corn in fair demand and firmer; No. 2 mixed, 42c. Oats in fair demand and steady; No. 2 mixed, 30c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 51c. Pork quiet at \$16.75. Lard firmer at 9.50c. Bulk meats were quiet at 9.37%c. Bacon was quiet at 11.22% 11.25c. Whisky active and firm; sales of 7 bris at \$1.14. Butter was dull. Sugar steady. Eggs in moderate demand at 17c. Cheese

DETROIT, Oct. 20.—The market closed weak and lower than yesterday. Wheat— No. 1 white, 62½c; No. 2 red, cash, 59½c; December, 65¾c; May, 72½c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 41c. Oats—No. 2 white, 32½c; No. 2 mixed, 29c. Rye—No. 2 cash, 48c. Prime clover seed, \$5.40. Receipts—Wheat, 59,000 bu; corn, 1,000 bu; oats, 1,400 bu.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20 .- The report from Washington to the effect that a compromise measure would surely pass, and that it would have to be signed by the President, through pressure, stimulated the dry goods market only slightly. It remains to be seen whether the deadlock in the Senate is to be broken and, until it is actually broken, and further, until it is to be seen whether Congress proposes to touch the tariff question and business men on this point are very skeptical. For cotton goods there is a moderate business. Prints and printed fabrics show no new features. Print cloths rule dull, without pressure to sall. Foreign dry goods show rather more activ-

Oils. WILMINGTON, Oct. 20.-Rosin firm; strained, 90c; spirits of terpentine firm at 25%c. Tar steady at 90c. Turpentine firm; hard, \$1; soft, \$1.60; Virgin, \$1.69.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20 .- Petroleum was quiet and steadier; Pennsylvania oil closed SAVANNAH, Oct. 20.-Rosin firm and un-

Metals. NEW YORK, Oct. 20 .- Pig iron quiet; American, \$12@14.50. Copper steady; lake, 9.50c. Lead higher; domestic, 3.35c bid. Tin steady; straights, 20.80c bid. Spelter firmer; domestic, 3.50c bid. On 'Change there were sales of 25,000 pounds. December copper,

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20 .- Lead higher at 3.10c; Wool.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20 .- Wool steady; domestic fleece, 20@28c; pulled, 18@25c; Texas,

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Steady-Hogs Active and Strong -Sheep Dull. INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 20.-Cattle-Receipts, 700; shipments, 400. There was a fair

supply, and good grades were in good de-

mand at steady prices. A few heavy exports sold above quotations. Fair to medium shippers..... 3.40@3.80 Stockers, 500 to 800 lbs...... 2.00@2.50 Good to choice heifers...... 3.00@3.50 Fair to medium heifers..... 2.25@2.75 Common thin heifers..... 1.50@2.00 Good to choice cows...... 2.60@3.00 Fair to medium cows..... 2.00@2.4 Common old cows..... 1.00@1.75 Veals, good to choice........... 4.25@5.50 Veals, common to medium...... 2.75@3.75 Bulls, common to medium..... 1.50/a2.00 Hogs-Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 2,200.

The quality was good. The market opened active at strong prices and closed quiet. with all sold. Light .....\$6.00@6.60 Mixed ..... 6.00@6.55 Heavy ...... 6.00@6.60 Heavy roughs...... 4.50@6.00 Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 450; shipments, 200. The quality was only fair. The market was dull at quotations. About all

sold at the close. Good to choice sheep.....\$3.00@3.35 Fair to medium sheep..... 2.50/92.85 Common thin sheep..... 1.75/22.25 Bucks, per head...... 2.00@4.00

Elsewhere. CHICAGO, Oct. 20 .- The Evening Journal reports: Cattle-Receipts, 9,000; shipments, 9,000. Prime native steers, \$5.60@5.80; others, \$4.60@5.25; common, \$3.50@4.25; Texans, \$2.50@

2.70; Western, \$2.75@3.65. Hogs-Receipts, 19,000; shipments, 8,000. The market was a trifle higher on prime heavy, others unchanged; rough and com mon, \$5.90%6.10; mixed and packers, \$6.15% 6.35; prime heavy and butcher weights, \$6.40 @6.70; prime light, \$6.65@6.75. Sheep-Receipts, 8,000; shipments, 2,000. The market was steady; natives, \$2.50@4; Westerns, \$2.85@3.25; lambs, \$2@4.50. KANSAS CITY, Oct. 20 .- Cattle-Receipts.

6,700; shipments, 4,200. The market was slow

and weak. Texas and shipping steers, \$1.50 @5.40; Texas and native cows, \$1.30@3; butcher stock, \$2.15@3; stockers and feeders, Hogs-Receipts, 6,200; shipments, 1,900. The market was weak to 10c lower. Bulk, 8600 6.35; heavy package and mixed. \$5.95@6.30; light Yorkers and pigs, \$5.75@6.35. Sheep-Receipts, 500; shipments, 900. The market was slower.

Hogs-Receipts, 2,100; shipments, 1,800; Yorkers, \$6.50@6.75; tops, \$6.80@6.90. The market was dull. Nine carloads of hogs were shipped to New York to-day. Sheep-Receipts, 300; shipments, 200. The market was dull at about unchanged prices. CINCINNATI, Oct. 20.-Cattle were steady

EAST LIBERTY, Oct. 20.-Cattle-Re-

unchanged. No cattle were shipped to New

The market was steady and

1,700; shipments, 700. Lambs were steady at ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20 .- Cattle-Receipts, 2,-000; shipments, 2,000. The market was nominally steady. All receipts of common grades not affecting quotations usually Hogs-Receipts, 2,300; shipments, 2,900. The market was strong to 5c higher. Heavy,

\$6@6.40; mixed, \$5.90@6.25; light, \$6.10@6.50. Sheep-Receipts, 700; shipments none. The market was steady and unchanged. BUFF LO, Oct. 20.—Cattle weak; none on sale, except a few common. Hogs lower: Yorkers, light, \$6.65@6.70; good, \$6.75@6.80; good mediums, \$6.85@6.90; mixed packers, \$4.75@6.80; pigs, 6.50@6.60. Sheep were easier with a downward tendency; fair to good mixed sheep, \$2.65@3.15; choice wethers, \$3.40@3.75; fair to good lambs, \$3.50@4.15; choice, \$4.25@4.50. LOUISVILLE, Oct. 20.—The cattle market was steady and unchanged. Hogs-The market was steady; choice packing and butchers, \$6.20@6.25; fair to good packing, \$6.10@6.20. Sheep and lambs—The market was dull; good to extra shipping sheep, \$2.50@2.75; fair to good, \$2.25@2.50; extra lambs, \$3.65@3.75; fair to good, \$3.25@3.50.

NOT SO ENCOURAGING

Improvement in Business Does Not Bear Out Expectations.

Large Mills That Started Up Have Shut Down-Dun and Bradstreets' Reports Are Gloomy.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20 .- R. G. Dunn & Co.'s

weekly review of trade says: There has been much gain in hope and little in business. Assurances that the repeal bill will soon be passed have again been accepted by traders as reason for buying things. Money is abundant on call, and, \$85,000,000 having been received in this city within ten weeks, speculation in stocks and products has an unusual stimulus and would have expanded even more but for continued embarrassment of industries. Wheat has risen 1/4c, helped by heavy for eign purchases and in spite of better crop has been lifted so far that another collapse is feared by some. Petroleum has been advanced 1c, and Brazil speculators are supposed to be utilizing the bombardment to increase the value of coffee. With these good signs there are some not so good. Renewals of maturing notes, to a large extent, are forced upon the banks here though practically all the clearing-house certificates have been retired here and \*t Boston. Business is so slow that merchants are asking for few new loans, and yet the aggregate of commercial indebtedness must be much larger. This shrinkage ap pears less in cotton than in some other branches of manufacture. During the week there has been slight improvement in t'a market for some goods. Several large mills which recently resumed have stopped again, and, while the number reported in opera-tion increases, the condition of the markets indicates plainly that few are working a their full capacity. The reduction of wages has been general and does not tend to increase the consumption of goods. The starting of the Edgar Thompson works for two weeks, and the announcement that the Joliet steel works will soon start, are more hopeful signs. The ship yards and agricultural implement makers are increas ing their purchases, but the demand for building purposes is remarkably small, and there is more weakness in barbed wire wire rods and steel billets. The failures this week number 346 in the United States against 210 last year, and twenty-nine in Canada against twenty-five last year. This list includes one large bank at Providence and three Southern banks. but the number of failures having large liabilities is somewhat less than usual.

for the preceding week.

For the previous week the full statement

of liabilities is \$5,727,336, against \$3,491,432

Bradstreets's Estimate. NEW YORK, Oct. 20-Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: Still another business week is rendered conspicuous owing to the paralysis imposed on commercial and industrial operations by the revolutionary policy of the minority in the Senate. Larger representative manufacturers, jobbers and other wholesalers in leading lines have been unable to operate with reference to the future supply or demand and the result is that the great iron and steel industries remain practically on their backs with no signs of a revival in either demand or price. In iron alone there is probably not more than one-third the output of a year ago. Wool is being sold at consessions from quotations and mill owners are taking raw material for actual needs only. Textile industries generally are not finding the better demand expected at this time, leather industries continue much depressed clothing manufacturers make unfavorable reports on the business thus far this fall, and at some industrial centers, notably Paterson, N. J., a home of silk and iron factories and mills, the industrial situation has advanced steadily from bad to wors

and the end is not yet. Bradstreet's estimate of the domestic wheat crop this year amounting to 440,000,-000 bushels has been accepted by Beerbohm, the first European authority on cereal sta-tistics and is corroborated by a special investigation by a western agricultural paper. If official estimates prevail, our available export surplus is now within 15,000,000 bushels of being all exported. Exports of wheat and wheat flour as wheat from both coasts of the United States and Canada this week equal 2,700,000 bushels against 2,-862,000 bushels last week. There is a slight improvement in trade at Toronto, off-set, in part, by practical demoralization of the export cattle trade.

Papers Full of It.

New York Weekly. Mr. Citimann-Any news up your way?
Mr. Wayback-News! Great Jehos! Don't
you city folks read the papers? W'y they're full o' long articles about my nearest neighbor, the widder Grasslands. Got her picture in, too-nat'ral as life." "My goodness! What has happened to "She's just been cured of a long-standin' disease that not a soul of us knew she

The Union Pacific Bankruptey.

New York Evening Post. For all this frightful wreck of business the responsibility lies primarly at the door of the silver agitation. The loss of earnings is the visible sign of shrinkage and distress in the country through which the Union Pacific runs. It is grim justice which has meted out the heaviest penalties to the hotbeds of this silver craze, the States whose Senators are now leading in the struggle to block legislation.

As a Matter of Fact. Godey's Magazine. As a matter of fact, divided skirts are not only hideously ugly but intensely uncomfortable, given to entwining themselves

vaunted hygienic properties exist chiefly in the imagination and on paper. RAILWAY TIME-TABLES. Indianapolis Union Station. rennsylvania Lines.

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